FORM D



UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM D

NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D, **SECTION 4(6), AND/OR**

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UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEM	TION
Name of Offering (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)	SEC MANAGE SECTION AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN
Private Placement of Common Stock Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Section 4(6)	ULVE SECTION ARCEIVED
Type of Filing:	OCT 2 3 2006
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A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	
1. Enter the information requested about the issuer	213
Name of Issuer (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)	
Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.	
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
15 Skyline Drive, Hawthorne, NY, 10532	(914) 347-4300
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices)	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
Brief Description of Business	
Drug identification, development and commercialization.	
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Type of Business Organization Corporation Iimited partnership, already formed other (p	lease specify):
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Month Year	<u> </u>
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization: 0 3 95 Actual Estin	nated THOMS
Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State	
CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)	
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS	
Federal: Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D o 77d(6).	r Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230,501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C.
When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering, and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given be which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.	
Where To File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 205	549.
Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually	
photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.	
Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report hereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied to be filed with the SEC.	
Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.	
State:	•
This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sa ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the So are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law, this notice and must be completed.	ecurities Administrator in each state where sales the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall
ATTENTION	
Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal extra appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unles filing of a federal notice.	
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2. Enter the information i	equested for the fo	llowing:			
 Each promoter of 	the issuer, if the is	suer has been organized v	within the past five years;		
Each beneficial ov	wner having the pov	ver to vote or dispose, or di	irect the vote or disposition	of, 10% or more of	fa class of equity securities of the issuer
Each executive of	ficer and director of	of corporate issuers and of	f corporate general and ma	naging partners of	partnership issuers; and
 Each general and 	managing partner o	of partnership issuers.			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Cohen, Ron	if individual)				
Business or Residence Addr 15 Skyline Drive, Hawth	,	Street, City, State, Zip C	ode)		
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Blight, Andrew	if individual)				
Business or Residence Addre 15 Skyline Drive, Hawtho	`	Street, City, State, Zip C	ode)		
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Fisher, Mary	if individual)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			
Business or Residence Addre	ess (Number and	Street, City, State, Zip Co	ode)		
15 Skyline Drive, Hawtho	rne, NY, 10532				
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first,	f individual)				
Lawrence, David					
Business or Residence Addre 15 Skyline Drive, Hawth	7	Street, City, State, Zip Co	ode)		
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
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Business or Residence Addre 551 Madison Avenue, N	•	Street, City, State, Zip Co 022	ode)		
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	☑ Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, it Phillips, Barclay	f individual)	· - ·			
Business or Residence Addres 1751 Lake Cook Road, D		Street, City, State, Zip Co 15	de)	<u> ·</u>	

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 Each general and 	managing partner	of partnership issuers.			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Office	r 📝 Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Randall, Lorin J.	if individual)				
Business or Residence Addr 1055 Westlakes Drive, E			Code)		
Check Box(es) that Apply;	Promoter	Beneficial Owne	F Executive Officer	Dìrector	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Rauscher, Steven M.	if individual)			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Business or Residence Addre 100 Beaver Street, Walth	•	Street, City, State, Zip	Code)		
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, Young, Wise	f individual)				
Business or Residence Addre	ss (Number and	Street, City, State, Zip	Code)		
604 Allison Road Piscata	way, NJ, 08854				
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, i	f individual)				
Ridgeback Capital Invest	ments Ltd.				
Business or Residence Addre 430 Park Avenue, 12th F			Code)	,	
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
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2.	What is	the minin	num investn	nent that v	will be acc	epted from	any indivi	dual?		***************************************		s <u>\</u>	14
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Busi	ness or	Residence	Address (N	lumber an	d Street, C	ity, State,	Zip Code)			·			
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l.	Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if the answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box \(\sum_\) and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.		
	Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
	Debt	<u> </u>	\$
	Equity	31,499,997.75	\$ 31,499,997.7
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	S	\$
	Partnership Interests	S	\$
	Other (Specify)	S	\$
	Total	31,499,997.75	\$ 31,499,997.75
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.		
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."	Number	Aggregate Dollar Amount
		Investors	of Purchases
	Accredited Investors	•	\$ 31,499,997.7
	Non-accredited Investors		\$
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)		<u> </u>
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.		
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C — Question 1.	•	
	Type of Offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505		\$
	Regulation A		\$
	Rule 504		\$
	Total		\$ 0.00
l	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the insurer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
	Transfer Agent's Fees		\$_1,500.00
	Printing and Engraving Costs		\$ 3,000.00
	Legal Fees	-	\$ 60,000.00
	Accounting Fees		\$
	Engineering Fees		\$
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)		\$ 1,000,575.00
	Other Expenses (identify)	_	\$
	Total		\$ 1,065,075.00

	and total expenses furnished in response to P	ate offering price given in response to Part C — Questi art C — Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted	gross	30,434,922.75
5.	each of the purposes shown. If the amoun	gross proceed to the issuer used or proposed to be use nt for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate e total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted g e to Part C — Question 4.b above.	and	
			Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments to Others
	Salaries and fees		[] \$	
	Purchase of real estate	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	s	ss
	Purchase, rental or leasing and installation and equipment	of machinery	s	
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ign	ature constitutes an undertaking by the issue	d by the undersigned duly authorized person. If this ner to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Conton-accredited investor pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)	nmission, upon writte	
ssu	er (Print or Type)	Signature	Date	
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	e Wasman	Executive Vice President, General Couns	el & Corporate Secre	etarv

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Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

E. STATE SIGNATURE	3.98	
1. Is any party described in 17 CFR 230.262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule?	Yes	No ⊠
See Appendix, Column 5, for state response		

- 2. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to any state administrator of any state in which this notice is filed a notice on Form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such times as required by state law.
- 3. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators, upon written request, information furnished by the issuer to offerees.
- 4. The undersigned issuer represents that the issuer is familiar with the conditions that must be satisfied to be entitled to the Uniform limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the availability of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.

The issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature	Date
Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.	Jarensse	October 20, 2006
Name (Print or Type)	Title (Print or Type)	
Jane Wasman	Executive Vice President, General Counsel	& Corporate Secretary

Instruction:

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

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t	Intend to non-a investor	1 to sell accredited as in State	Type of security and aggregate offering price offered in state (Part C-Item 1)		amount pu	4 finvestor and rchased in State C-Item 2)		under Sta (if yes, explana	ification ite ULOE attach ition of granted)
State	Yes	No		Number of Accredited Investors	Amount	Number of Non-Accredited Investors	Amount	Yes	No
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APPENDIX 2 3 Disqualification Type of security under State ULOE Intend to sell and aggregate (if yes, attach to non-accredited offering price Type of investor and explanation of investors in State offered in state amount purchased in State waiver granted) (Part C-Item 1) (Part B-Item 1) (Part C-Item 2) (Part E-Item 1) Number of Number of Accredited Non-Accredited State Yes No Investors Investors Yes No Amount Amount MO MT NE NVNH NJ NMCommon 19 NY \$28,806,669 NC ND OH OK OR PA RI SC SD TN TX Common 1 \$443,332.5 UT VT VAWA WV WI Common \$999,999.00 1

1	to non-a	d to sell accredited rs in State 3-Item 1)	Type of security and aggregate offering price offered in state (Part C-Item 1)	4 Type of investor and amount purchased in State (Part C-Item 2)			5 Disqualification under State ULOE (if yes, attach explanation of waiver granted) (Part E-Item 1)		
State	Yes	No		Number of Accredited Investors	Amount	Number of Non-Accredited Investors	Amount	Yes	No
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